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Met with Mr. William Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, and briefed him on the following:	X1
 a. Soviet naval visit to Cuba, b. Soviet space activities, c. SS-9 silo construction, and d. expected Soviet fleet transfers to the Mediterranean from the Black Sea. 	
Although very interested, Mr. Woodruff had no particular comment on any of the briefing items.	
2. Met with Mr. Lawrence Conrad, Chief Couns Senate Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments, who advised that he checked with Miss MacNaughton, Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights staff, this morning, but no Subcommittee material is available for review by the members. It was his impression that Senator Ervin himself is working on the rewording of amendments to S. 782. Mr. Conrad will call and provide us with a copy of the Subcommittee draft when it becomes available. Mr. Conrad noted in passing that it appeared to him to be the sense of the Subcommittee meeting yesterday that the Agency and its representatives are in quite good favor with the Subcommittee, but that NSA does not enjoy the same consideration. He passed this on for what it was worth.	
3. Talked to Mr. James Gehrig, Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee staff, and briefed him on Soviet space activities Mr. Gehrig was most appreciative.	
4. Met with Mrs. Mary Bruner, Executive Secretary to Representative Glenard Lipscomb (R., Calif). Mrs. Bruner advised that Mr. Lipscomb went home yesterday from the hospital on schedule and seems to be doing well. He is scheduled next week for possible discharge. It is indefinite when he will be returning to duty, however.	,
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13.	Received a call from Mr. Al Tarabochia,	ĊΤ.
Investigator, Senate Subcommittee	on Internal Security, who advised the	
Subcommittee would like to talk to		
	at such time as he is available.	(1
Mr. Tarabochia indicated that he	was following a long-established procedure	
	ubcommittee's request with us. I thanked	
	would note the Subcommittee's request for	
the record.	•	
14.	Called General Counsel of 25	(1
	elopments regarding S. 782 (Ervin bill).	
	ncerned over two aspects of the problem: 25)	(1
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ships. etc.) and (b) the bill's affect	et on the Director's termination authority.	
felt that we should try to ho	old the line on both of these issues. He 25X	(1
	eful for what we had been doing in trying	
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